## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA QUESTION NO 685 ANSWERED ON **08.02.2017**

## **Full Body Truck Scanners**

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :-

(a) whether it is a fact that there is an inordinate delay in installation of Full Body Truck Scanners (FBTS) at the vulnerable points along the Indo-Pak Border, Indo-Bangladesh Border and Indo-Nepal Border considering the importance of these borders as entry and exist points of terror groups in and out of the country;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps Government proposes to take to expedite installation of FBTS? ANSWER

## MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) to (c): No, Sir. The Government is procuring five numbers of Full Body Truck Scanners (FBTS) for location at Attari (Indo-Pak Border), Petrapole (Indo-Bangladesh Border), Raxual (Indo-Nepal Border), Poonch-Chakkanda-bagh (Indo-Pak Border) and Uri-Salamabad (Indo-Pak Border) in accordance with the laid down procedure. The Govt. has issued a Global Tender Enquiry for procurement of five Nos. of FBTS. It is also obtaining various clearances from the respective State Governments and other nodal agencies.

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